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PART I.

Notifications by the Dewan to His Highness the Maharaja of Mysore.

GENERAL.

NOTIFICATIONS.

The 26th October 1883.

No. 256.—It is hereby notified for general information that the annual auction sales of sandalwood, the produce of Mysore, will be sold in the undermentioned places, on the dates specified against each, by the Deputy Commissioners and Forest Officers of the respective Districts :—

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Hassan .. .. 21st January 1884. 350 tons more or less.

Terms of Sale.—Those notified in the *Mysore Gazette* No. 48 of the 5th December 1874, and will also be read out at the time of sale. The term of credit allowed for payment of sums due for wood purchased at Chikmagalur and Hassan will however terminate on the 25th March 1884.

The 28th December 1883.

No. 292.—It is hereby notified, under Section 4 of the Land Acquisition Act of 1870, for the persons interested that all lands required for constructing the railway from Tiptur to Birur and from Birur to Harihar will be taken by Government on payment of compensation under the above Act, and that the party now surveying the line of railway referred to above should not in any way be obstructed by the public from proceeding with their work.

The 10th January 1884.

No. 297.—With reference to the statement published under Notification No. 39, dated 6th February last, the absorption of the village of Yeladbagi into Giriyenahalli (No. 70 of the statement) is cancelled.

The 18th January 1884.

No. 299.—The absorption of the undermentioned village of the late Narsipur Taluk, transferred to the Channarayapatna Taluk, into its adjoining Asali village is sanctioned :—

Name of Magani.	No.	Name of Asali Village.	No.	Name of Village to be absorbed in that entered in column 3.	Collections.	Remarks.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7
Ganni	1	Gullahalli	1	Sosalpura	187	

No. 300.—E. C. Sivagnanam Pille, Munsiff of Kolar, is granted two months' sick leave on medical certificate in extension of that granted him in Notification No. 272, dated 15th November 1883.

The 18th January 1884.

No. 301.—Tenders are hereby invited for the exclusive privilege of selling toddy in the District of Bangalore, (including the Town of Bangalore and, with the permission of the Resident, the Civil and Military Station of Bangalore,) for 3 years, *viz.*, from 1st April 1884 to 31st March 1887. The District of Bangalore comprises the undermentioned taluks as revised by the Dewan's Notifications Nos. 13 and 137, dated 25th November 1882, and 147 and 148, dated 9th December 1882, and 166, dated 22nd December 1882 :—

1. Bangalore.
2. Hoskote.
3. Dodballapur.
4. Nelamangala.
5. Kankanhalli.
6. Magadi.
7. Closepet.
8. Anekal.
9. Kunigal.

2. Each tender must specify the annual amount offered, and must be accompanied by a deposit of Rs. 1,000 in cash or Government securities, and enclosed in a cover superscribed with the words "Tender for the exclusive privilege of selling toddy in the Bangalore District."

3. The tenders must be delivered at the Office of the Deputy Commissioner, Bangalore District, on or before noon on the 15th February 1884, when they will be opened in the presence of the applicants. The applicant, whose tender may be selected by the Deputy Commissioner for recommendation to the Dewan, will be required to deposit at once, in cash or in Government securities, a further sum equal to one-twelfth (or one month's instalment) of the amount of the annual rent tendered, failing which the deposit made with the tender will be forfeited.

4. When the decision of the Dewan is announced, the deposits made by applicants whose tenders have been rejected will be returned to them on their application. The Dewan reserves to himself the power of rejecting the highest or any tender without assigning any reason.

5. The party whose tender may be accepted shall, within eight days after the Dewan's decision has been communicated to him, deposit with the Deputy Commissioner a sum, in cash or Government securities duly endorsed, which, with the sums previously deposited under para 3, shall be equal to one-fourth of the amount of the annual rent tendered, and shall execute an agreement in the usual form on proper stamp, binding himself to conform to the conditions hereinafter set forth, and if he fails or refuses to sign the agreement or to make the deposit required, the deposits already made will be forfeited to Government and the lease otherwise disposed of.

Conditions.

I. The annual contract amount shall be paid by equal monthly instalments, together with the prescribed local cess of one anna on every rupee, computed on such contract amount, into the District Treasury, on or before the 15th of the month following that for which the payment is due ; and interest at the rate of 6 per cent per annum shall be paid on all arrears left outstanding on that date. Such arrears shall, if they remain unpaid after the lapse of the month in which they are payable, be recoverable by attachment and sale of the property of the lessee in the manner prescribed by existing rules for the recovery of arrears of land revenue, and it shall be at the discretion of the Deputy Commissioner, with the Dewan's sanction, to declare the lease cancelled, and to resell or retain it under Government management and to recover all outstanding arrears with interest, and any losses which may result from such resale or disposal of the contract, by confiscation of the security deposited, and, if necessary, by attachment and sale of the property of the defaulter, under the rules in force for the recovery of arrears of land revenue.

II. The usual licenses to retail vendors will be issued by the Deputy Commissioner, and no alteration shall be made by the lessee in the locality or number of the retail shops now opened for sale of toddy, without the express sanction of the Deputy Commissioner. The Deputy Commissioner is competent to order any shops to be closed on grounds of public expediency.

III. Grain, goods, ornaments, wearing apparel or other property should not be received in barter or pawn for toddy.

IV. The lessee shall be required to conform to any additional rules which may be prescribed from time to time by the Dewan.

V. No interference shall be made by the lessee with the rights, as already ascertained and defined of the holders of jodi, sarvamanyam and kayamgutta villages, who are authorized by sannads, &c., to exercise such rights within the limits of their villages. Disputes regarding such rights will be decided by the Deputy Commissioner of the District, and the lessee shall be bound by such decision, which shall be subject however to the confirmation or otherwise, on appeal, of the Dewan.

VI. No toddy shops shall be opened before 6 A. M., and all shops shall be closed at 9 P. M., except when otherwise authorized by the Deputy Commissioner on exceptional occasions.

VII. All shops for the sale of toddy on or adjacent to the line of march shall be closed while a Regiment or Detachment of European soldiers is passing by, or during its temporary halt in the vicinity, and no compensation shall be claimable for loss alleged to have occurred or to have been occasioned thereby, and it shall be lawful for such troops to have their own abkari contractor.

VIII. The lessee will be allowed the use of the date trees growing on Government waste land in the District for the extraction of toddy either for sale within the limits of his farm or for manufacture into jaggory, but he will have no claims to date trees situated in lands which are now or may hereafter be occupied for cultivation or for other purposes, nor to compensation on account of any date trees or topes which the Government may, at any time, consider necessary to reserve for other purposes, or for the supply of toddy to other Districts. The manufacture of jaggory will be carried on only in such localities and under such conditions as the Deputy Commissioner may fix from time to time.

IX. The lessee will have no claims to compensation or remission on account of any arrangements which may be made by Government in regard to beer or other descriptions of liquor or spirit than toddy. The Dewan reserves to himself the power to terminate the lease as regards any parts of the District on public grounds, awarding a reasonable compensation for the same.

X. No toddy shall be knowingly sold or given to any European soldier, sailor, European or Eurasian woman or child, or to a sepoy or policeman when on duty, and any breach of this rule shall render the lessee or the vendor severally or jointly liable to the payment of a penalty of Rs. 50 for the first offence, and one-hundred rupees for every subsequent offence, as well as for the cancelment of the vendor's license.

XI. The lessee shall be responsible that his servants or agents are prevented from extracting toddy from young immature date trees the trunks of which are less than one yard in height from the ground to the springing of the branches, nor shall any leaves be cut and used by them except such as may have to be removed for the purpose of drawing toddy; and any breach of these rules shall render the lessee liable to the payment of a penalty of Rs. 50 for the first offence, and Rs. 100 for every subsequent offence.

XII. The rates at which toddy shall be sold to the public and bakers shall be as follows :—

	Maximum. Prices per Seer. Rs. A. P.	Minimum. Prices per Seer. Rs. A. P.	Fixed Price per Seer for Bakers.
In the Town and Civil and Military Station of Bangalore.	0 1 6	0 1 0	0 1 0
In the Kasabas of Taluks of the Bangalore District ..	0 1 3	0 0 10	
In the Villages of do	0 1 0	0 0 8	

6. Carts used for the transport of toddy are not exempted from payment of the prescribed mohatarfa cart tax.

7. Information in regard to the past revenue and any other matters can be had on application at the Deputy Commissioner's Office.

The 18th January 1884.

No. 302.—Tenders are hereby invited for the exclusive privilege of selling toddy in the District of Kolar for 3 years, *viz.*, from 1st April 1884 to 31st March 1887. The District of Kolar comprises the undermentioned Taluks as revised by the Dewan's Notifications Nos. 136, dated 25th November 1882, and 147 and 148, dated 9th December 1882.

1. Kolar
2. Bowringpet
3. Chintamani
4. Mulbagal
5. Sidlagatta
6. Chikballapur
7. Bagepalli
8. Goribidnur

2. Each tender must specify the annual amount offered, and must be accompanied by a deposit of Rs. 1,000 in cash or Government securities and enclosed in a cover superscribed with the words "Tender for the exclusive privilege of selling toddy in the Kolar District."

3. The tenders must be addressed to the Deputy Commissioner of Kolar and delivered at the Office of the Deputy Commissioner at Kolar on or before 6 P. M. on the 13th February 1884 or to him at the Bangalore Deputy Commissioner's Office, on the 15th February 1884, on or before noon, when at the Bangalore Deputy Commissioner's Office they will be opened in the presence of the applicants. The applicant, whose tender may be selected by the Deputy Commissioner for recommendation to the Dewan, will be required to deposit at once, in cash or in Government securities, a further sum equal to one-twelfth (or one month's instalment) of the amount of the annual rent tendered, failing which the deposit made with the tender will be forfeited.

4. When the decision of the Dewan is announced, the deposits made by applicants whose tenders have been rejected will be thereupon returned to them on their application. The Dewan reserves to himself the power of rejecting the highest or any tender without assigning any reason.

5. The party whose tender may be accepted shall, within eight days after the Dewan's decision has been communicated to him, deposit with the Deputy Commissioner a sum, in cash or Government securities duly endorsed, which with the sums previously deposited under para 3 shall be equal to one-fourth of the amount of the annual rent tendered, and shall execute an agreement in the usual form on proper stamp, binding himself to conform to the conditions hereinafter set forth, and if he fails or refuses to sign the agreement or to make the deposit required, the deposits already made will be forfeited to Government and the lease otherwise disposed of.

Conditions.

I. The annual contract amount shall be paid by equal monthly instalments together with the prescribed local cess of one anna on every rupee, computed on such contract amount, into the District Treasury, on or before the 15th of the month following that for which the payment is due; and interest at the rate of 6 per cent per annum shall be paid on all arrears left outstanding on that date. Such arrears shall, if they remain unpaid after the lapse of the month in which they are payable, be recoverable by attachment and sale of the property of the lessee in the manner prescribed by existing rules for the recovery of arrears of land revenue, and it shall be at the discretion of the Deputy Commissioner with the Dewan's sanction, to declare the lease cancelled, and to resell or retain it under Government management and to recover all outstanding arrears with interest and any losses which may result from such resale or disposal of the contract, by confiscation of the security deposited, and, if necessary, by attachment and sale of the property of the defaulter, under the rules in force for the recovery of arrears of land revenue.

II. The usual licenses to retail vendors will be issued by the Deputy Commissioner, and no alteration shall be made by the lessee in the locality or number of the retail shops now opened for sale of toddy, without the express sanction of the Deputy Commissioner. The Deputy Commissioner is competent to order any shops to be closed on grounds of public expediency.

III. Grain, goods, ornaments, wearing apparel or other property should not be received in barter or pawn for toddy.

IV. The lessee shall be required to conform to any additional rules which may be prescribed from time to time by the Dewan.

V. No interference shall be made by the lessee with the rights, as already ascertained and defined, of the holders of jodi, sarvamanyam and kayamgutta villages who are authorized by sannads, &c., to exercise such rights within the limits of their villages. Disputes regarding such rights will be decided by the Deputy Commissioner of the District, and the lessee shall be bound by such decision, which shall be subject however to the confirmation or otherwise, on appeal, of the Dewan.

VI. No toddy shops shall be opened before 6 A. M., and all shops shall be closed at 9 P. M., except when otherwise authorized by the Deputy Commissioner on exceptional occasions.

VII. All shops for the sale of toddy on or adjacent to the line of march shall be closed while a Regiment or Detachment of European soldiers is passing by, or during its temporary halt in the vicinity, and no compensation shall be claimable for loss alleged to have occurred or to have been occasioned thereby, and it shall be lawful for such troops to have their own abkari contractor.

VIII. The lessee will be allowed the use of the date trees growing on Government waste land for the extraction of toddy either for sale within the limits of his farm, or for manufacture into jaggory, but he will have no claims to date trees situated in lands which are now or may hereafter be occupied for cultivation or for other purposes, nor to compensation on account of any date trees or topes which the Government may, at any time, consider necessary to reserve for other purposes, or for the supply of toddy to other Districts. The manufacture of jaggory will be carried on only in such localities and under such conditions as the Deputy Commissioner may fix from time to time.

IX. The lessee will have no claims to compensation or remission on account of any arrangements which may be made by Government in regard to beer or other descriptions of liquor or spirit

than toddy. The Dewan reserves to himself the power to terminate the lease as regards any parts of the District on public grounds, awarding a reasonable compensation for the same.

X. No toddy shall be knowingly sold or given to any European soldier, sailor, European or Eurasian woman or child, or to a sepoy or policeman when on duty, and any breach of this rule shall render the lessee or the vendor severally or jointly liable to the payment of a penalty of Rs. 50 for the first offence, and one-hundred rupees for every subsequent offence, as well as for the cancelment of the vendor's license.

XI. The lessee shall be responsible that his servants or agents are prevented from extracting toddy from young immature date trees the trunks of which are less than one yard in height from the ground to the springing of the branches, nor shall any leaves be cut and used by them except such as may have to be removed for the purpose of drawing toddy; and any breach of these rules shall render the lessee liable to the payment of a penalty of Rs. 50 for the first offence, and Rs. 100 for every subsequent offence.

XII. The rates at which toddy shall be sold to the public shall be as follows :—

	Maximum. Prices per Seer.			Minimum.		
	Rs.	A.	P.	Rs.	A.	P.
In Kasabas of Taluks of the Kolar District	0	1	3	0	0	10
In Villages of do	0	1	0	0	0	8

6. Carts used for the transport of toddy are not exempted from payment of the prescribed mohatarfa cart tax.

7. Information in regard to the past revenue and any other matters can be had on application at the Deputy Commissioner's Office.

The 18th January 1884.

No. 303.—Tenders are hereby invited for the exclusive privilege of selling toddy in the District of Tumkur, for 3 years, *viz.*, from 1st April 1884 to 31st March 1887. The District of Tumkur comprises the undermentioned Taluks as revised by the Dewan's Notifications Nos. 129, 136 and 165, dated 13th and 25th November and 21st December 1882, respectively :—

1. Tumkur.	5. Gubbi.	8. Chitaldroog.	Chitaldroog Sub-Division.
2. Maddagiri.	6. Tiptur.	9. Challakere.	
3. Chiknayakanhalli.	7. Pavagada.	10. Hiriyur.	
4. Sira.		11. Holalkere.	

2. Each tender must specify the annual amount offered, and must be accompanied by a deposit of Rs. 1,000 in cash or Government securities, and enclosed in a cover superscribed with the words "Tender for the exclusive privilege of selling toddy in the Tumkur District."

3. The tenders must be addressed to the Deputy Commissioner of Tumkur, and delivered at the Office of the Deputy Commissioner at Tumkur on or before 6 P. M. on the 13th February 1884, or to him at the Bangalore Deputy Commissioner's Office on the 15th February 1884 on or before noon, when at the Bangalore Deputy Commissioner's Office they will be opened in the presence of the applicants. The applicant, whose tender may be selected by the Deputy Commissioner for recommendation to the Dewan, will be required to deposit at once, in cash or in Government securities, a further sum equal to one-twelfth (or one month's instalment) of the amount of the annual rent tendered, failing which the deposit made with the tender will be forfeited.

4. When the decision of the Dewan is announced, the deposits made by applicants whose tenders have been rejected will be thereupon returned to them on their application. The Dewan reserves to himself the power of rejecting the highest or any tender without assigning any reason.

5. The party whose tender may be accepted shall, within eight days after the Dewan's decision has been communicated to him, deposit with the Deputy Commissioner a sum, in cash or Government

securities duly endorsed, which, with the sums previously deposited under para 3, shall be equal to one-fourth of the amount of the annual rent tendered, and shall execute an agreement in the usual form on proper stamp, binding himself to conform to the conditions hereinafter set forth, and if he fails or refuses to sign the agreement or to make the deposit required, the deposits already made will be forfeited to Government and the lease otherwise disposed of.

Conditions.

I. The annual contract amount shall be paid by equal monthly instalments, together with the prescribed local cess of one anna on every rupee, computed on such contract amount, into the District Treasury, on or before the 15th of the month following that for which the payment is due ; and interest at the rate of 6 per cent per annum shall be paid on all arrears left outstanding on that date. Such arrears shall, if they remain unpaid after the lapse of the month in which they are payable, be recoverable by attachment and sale of the property of the lessee in the manner prescribed by existing rules for the recovery of arrears of land revenue, and it shall be at the discretion of the Deputy Commissioner, with the Dewan's sanction, to declare the lease cancelled, and to resell or retain it under Government management and to recover all outstanding arrears with interest, and any losses which may result from such resale or disposal of the contract, by confiscation of the security deposited, and, if necessary, by attachment and sale of the property of the defaulter, under the rules in force for the recovery of arrears of land revenue.

II. The usual licenses to retail vendors will be issued by the Deputy Commissioner, and no alteration shall be made by the lessee in the locality or number of the retail shops now opened for sale of toddy, without the express sanction of the Deputy Commissioner. The Deputy Commissioner is competent to order any shops to be closed on grounds of public expediency.

III. Grain, goods, ornaments, wearing apparel or other property should not be received in barter or pawn for toddy.

IV. The lessee shall be required to conform to any additional rules which may be prescribed from time to time by the Dewan.

V. No interference shall be made by the lessee with the rights, as already ascertained and defined, of the holders of jodi, sarvamanyam and kayamgutta villages, who are authorized by the sannad, &c., to exercise such rights within the limits of their villages. Disputes regarding such rights will be decided by the Deputy Commissioner of the District, and the lessee shall be bound by such decision, which shall be subject however to the confirmation or otherwise, on appeal, of the Dewan.

VI. No toddy shops shall be opened before 6 A. M., and all shops shall be closed at 9 P. M., except when otherwise authorized by the Deputy Commissioner on exceptional occasions.

VII. All shops for the sale of toddy on or adjacent to the line of march shall be closed while a Regiment or Detachment of European soldiers is passing by, or during its temporary halt in the vicinity, and no compensation shall be claimable for loss alleged to have occurred or to have been occasioned thereby, and it shall be lawful for such troops to have their own abkari contractor.

VIII. The lessee will be allowed the use of the date trees growing on Government waste land for the extraction of toddy either for sale within the limits of his farm, or for manufacture into jaggory, but he will have no claims to date trees situated in lands which are now or may hereafter be occupied for cultivation or for other purposes, nor to compensation on account of any date trees or topes, which the Government may, at any time, consider necessary to reserve for other purposes, or for the supply of toddy to other Districts. The manufacture of jaggory will be carried on only in such localities and under such conditions as the Deputy Commissioner may fix from time to time.

IX. The lessee will have no claims to compensation or remission on account of any arrangements which may be made by Government in regard to beer or other descriptions of liquor or spirits than toddy. The Dewan reserves to himself the power to terminate the lease as regards any parts of the District on public grounds, awarding a reasonable compensation for the same.

X. No toddy shall be knowingly sold or given to any European soldier, sailor, European or Eurasian woman or child, or to a sepoy or policeman when on duty, and any breach of this rule shall render the lessee or the vendor severally or jointly liable to the payment of a penalty of Rs. 50 for the first offence, and one-hundred rupees for every subsequent offence, as well as for the cancelment of the vendor's license.

XI. The lessee shall be responsible that his servants or agents are prevented from extracting toddy from young immature date trees, the trunks of which are less than one yard in height from the ground to the springing of the branches, nor shall any leaves be cut and used by them except such as may have to be removed for the purpose of drawing toddy; and any breach of these rules shall render the lessee liable to the payment of a penalty of Rs. 50 for the first offence, and Rs. 100 for every subsequent offence.

XII. The rates at which toddy shall be sold to the public shall be as follows :—

	Maximum. Prices per Seer.			Minimum.		
	Rs.	A.	P.	Rs.	A.	P.
In the Taluk Kasabas and Villages of the Taluks of Chitaldroog, Chellakere, Hiriyur and Holalkere	0	1	0	0	0	6
In the Taluk Kasabas of the remaining Taluks of the Tumkúr District	0	1	3	0	0	10
In the Villages of do do ..	0	1	0	0	0	8

6. Carts used for the transport of toddy are not exempted from payment of the prescribed mohatarfa cart tax.

7. Information in regard to the past revenue and any other matters can be had on application at the Deputy Commissioner's Office.

The 21st March 1883.

No. 84.—Gentlemen desirous of seeing the Dewan on business are requested to call at the Office at 3 P. M. on Tuesdays, sending their cards to the Secretary the previous day.

2. Petitioners will be heard at the Office at 3 P. M. on Fridays.

By Order,

R. VIJAYINDRA RAO,
Secretary.